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For: COMPRESSOR	:	

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TOTAL 24	- 24 =	0	x 25 = $		x 50 = $	
INDEP 2	- 3 =	0	x 100 = $		x 200 = $	
[ ] 1ST PRESENTATION OF MULT. DEP. CLAIM			+ 180 = $		+ 360 = $	
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

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In response to the March 28, 2007 Office Action, please enter the following response:

Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1-24 are pending, with claims 1 and 20 being the only independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.